Unwelcome Attentions from a Curious Crowd of Men and Boys-Politeness of the Governor General-An Apology for the Persistent Intruders.

We had sent Wang Fuyeh with our passports to the governor general's Yamen, with instructions to say, if agreeable to him, we should call and pay our respects, and so far as might be necessary respects, and so far as might be necessary explain the object of our traveling in that part of Honan. We had already been informed by a young mandarin connected with the Yamen who had crossed the river with us, that the governor general was only temporarily holding the office, that he was not well, and that a new governor general was expected soon, hence we anticipated that it might not be convenient for him to receive us, and instructed Wang Fuyeh to say, in that case, that we were examining the Yellow river and its embankments, and would like to have passports into the province of Shan-tung, together with a guard of policemen or soldiers to protect our inn and relieve us of the unwelcome attentions of the crowd of men and boys who were gatherling there.

During the absence of our messenger

they continued to collect in the outer

court, which was now densely packed, and

to press upon the inner gateway. Finally, through the persistency and activity of the boys in front, and of the pressure of the men behind, and perhaps also through the relaxed vigilance of our servants, they succeeded in unhinging the gate and gained admission into the inner court, around which ourselves and servants had been assigned to rooms. The first thing which attracted their attention and seemed in some degree to satisfy their curiosity, was "Ferguson," our big Chinese cook, with his charcoal fire and pots and pans preparing dinner. This was evidently a rare treat to them, and enabled our men to hold them in check opposite the kitchen door, about twelve feet from our own, for perhaps twenty minutes, but during this one the pressure from behind increased, and the inner courtyard which was only thirty-six feet long by twelve wide, became crowded to suffoca-tion. Li Aleck and the three "boys," aided at times by Ferguson, screamed themselves hoarse and ex-bausted all their strength in their efforts to expel the intruders without doing them bodily harm. Our visitors had but little to say, but with wide open eyes and gaping mouths they pressed each other steadily forward, recoiling whenever the servants made a threatening rush at them, and then, as they retreated, edging a little further into the open space just outside of our door, which was closed and covered by a cotton portiere.

The governor general received our mes-senger very politely, but said it would not be necessary for us to call, unless we had something important to communicate, and he would not call on us because he had sore eyes, but would send one of his mansore eyes, but would send one of his man-darins to give us such assistance as we might require. He also said he would send a guard at once. Wang Fuyeh had scarcely finished his report when a man-darin, wearing the crystal button and pea-cock's feather, and clad in silk and furs, made his appearance, accompanied by his chairmen and retainers, hearing high state chairmen and retainers, bearing high state umbrellas and spears, and wearing official hats, and all this state was to bring the governor general's return cards. After leaving them he departed hastily, and the crowd lost no time in pressing into the inner court and up to our door again. We gathered our servants once more and drove the crowd back nearly to the street, when we were again stopped in the full tide of victory by the coming of a still more stately mandarin with banners and umbrellas, and a larger and more showy retinue.

It would not do to be caught out of our quarters or engaged in such an occupation by a distinguished visitor, so we returned to our room and received him with all the state we could assume. On entering he lowed and saluted us politely in the usual Chinese way by clasping his hands and raising them to his face, and we returned his greeting in the same manner, after which we showed him to a seat, and a short conversation followed. He told us that he had been set by the governor gen eral, and asked us what assistance we re quired. Being a bright and intelligent man, he took in the situation at once apologized for the roughness of the people of Kai-fung-fu, and said he would explain to them that we meant them no harm, but had come on a friendly mission. He inti-mated, however, that as soon as we were rested and had got such supplies as we de-sired, we had better resume our journey. Before taking his leave he directed one of his own attendants to remain with us, and he would send a guard without delay to drive out our unwelcome visitors and keep order. The single man left with us did his level best to guard the inner gate and hold it against the increasing pressure from without, but he was overpowered and pressed back like the rest, and finally folded his hands in despair. Our servants still stood their ground as best they could, but were at last pressed back against our door. It was now nearly half past 5, and no policemen had yet made their appear-

The most venturesome of the crowd had gained our windows and begun poking holes through the paper panes for the purpose of looking in, and thereupon we sal-lied out for the last time and went for the heathen Chinee in a way they were not slow to understand. Our servants and carters came to our assistance manfully, and even the solitary policeman plucked up courage to pitch in. By dint of push-ing, yelling and gesticulating, aided per-haps by fear on the part of the crowd, we gradually pushed those in front back upon those in the rear so vigorously that in the course of ten minutes we had got the court-yards nearly clear. In the midst of our most vigorous onset, we found our selves suddenly reinforced by a detachment of six or eight policemen, with the chief of police at their head, and this reinforcement was less gentle in its treatment of the intruders than we had been; but it was quite noticeable that there was no Leading Photographer of Honolulu. clubbing, as would have been the case with an American mob who would not "move on." In a few minutes afterward we had the court-yard cleared and the gates barred, but the crowd still remained in the street and made one or two efforts to regain its lost ground, but in vain. In to regain its lost ground, but in vain. In this bloodless contest men lost their hats and shoes, and the boys were knocked over and tramped upon. Sewerel of them cried most lustily, and there was a babel of yelling and shouting, as is generally the case with a Chinese crowd, but, so far as we could make out, nobody was angry or inspired by any other motive than that of gratifying an insatiable and ravenous curiosity.—New York Sun.

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